(e) During the current year (2000-01), about 25.4% of the requirement of crude oil is estimated to be met from domestic production and the balance 74.6% from imports.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO UNSTARRED QUESTIONS

Export potential of Rajasthan

1. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have examined Rajasthan's export potential; and

(b) what are the exportable items of Rajasthan?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI MURASOLI MARAN): (a) No formal study of the export potential of Rajasthan has been done by the Central Government. However, the Central Government interacts with the State Governments on a regular basis in order to boost exports and export production.

(b) The main items of exports from Rajasthan are textiles, marble, electronic goods, handicrafts, leather goods, precious and semi-precious stones, carpets.

Opening of road trade between India and China through Myanmar

2. SHRI W. ANGOU SINGH: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any plan for opening Road Trade between India and China through Myanmar;

(b) whether this proposal is to be taken up on the request of China Government; and

(c) if so, by when and the steps taken so far?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI MURASOLI MARAN): (a) to (c) No proposal from the Chinese Government has so far been received for opening road trade between India and China through Myanmar.